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and Lithium Alloys Thereof

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STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

The undersigned would like to thank Examiner Hodge for the courtesy of a telephone interview on April 6, 2010. The interview participants were Examiner Hodge, Jason Graetz and the undersigned. In the interview, prior art references WO 01/96847 and US 2003/00054252 were discussed with respect to claims 64 and 66. The recitation in both claims 64 and 66 that the specified electrode is part of a secondary electrochemical cell was also discussed. The addition of new claims 73-77 was also touched on and Inventor Jason Graetz reviewed the Declaration under 1.132 filed in response to the Action dated August 13, 2009.

It is believed that no fees are due with this submission. If is incorrect, please charge any deficiency to deposit account 07-1969.

Respectfully submitted.

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